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BARELY "GOT THERE,"

BUT JUST AS HAPPY AS IF IT WAS A WALK-OVER.

Gen. Logan Obtains the Long-Felt Want of 103 Votes, and Goes Back to the United States Senate from Illinois.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., May 20.—John A. Logan has been chosen as his own successor in the United States senate. Not until nearly 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon was the result announced, although for nearly three hours victory was within his grasp. The roll-call at noon showed a full house and senate; the Republicans were confident, and forced the fighting; a crowd of senators led by George White, surrounded Ruger with hope of keeping him in line. They succeeded, and when his name was called he shouted out "John A. Logan." A scene of wild confusion followed. The Republicans were almost beside themselves with joy. The Democrats didn't dare to vote and the record of the senate showed Logan had received the full Republican strength, twenty-six votes.

The roll-call of the house began with almost breathless silence and no Democrat responded. Sittig remained silent. This cast a damper on the Republicans. On the call for absentees of the house Sittig stood up and unrolled a large bundle of manuscript. Every eye was riveted upon him as he started to read the scroll. What he would do soon became apparent. He first scored John A. Logan, branded him "boss" and "dictator," and concluded by declaring that in accordance with the wish of his constituents he would cast his ballot for the choice of the Republican caucus.

Then, indeed, did the Republican side of the house go wild. Gray-haired men stood on their seats and shouted themselves hoarse.

Logan received a total of 103 votes, just enough to elect, but no Democrat had yet voted. Then began a long and exciting wrangle, and the Democrats secured a call for absentees and began voting for Lambert Tree; but they took good care to keep the polls open. Just about the time they had all voted the leaders of the party strove to create a stampede to Farwell. The change of votes was slowly made in order to afford any Republican brethren ample time to come into the new fold.

The roll was recalled and rectified but nobody bit at the bait. Logan's ranks remained unbroken. Representative Barry, a Democratic member from Calhoun, shocked the Democratic managers by informing them that he would vote for Logan in preference to any Republican that could be named. Then the Democrats saw that their scheme had miscarried, and word to beat a retreat was passed along the line. All votes cast for Farwell were changed back to tree. The Democrats saw the jig was up and permitted the chair to announce the result as follows: Total vote, 204; necessary to a choice, 103; Logan, 103; Tree, 96; Hoxie, 1; Morrison, 2.

The announcement was received with wild enthusiasm. Hats were thrown in air, handkerchiefs waved and cheers and shouts filled the hall. The applause lasted some minutes. Senator Logan was brought to the speaker's stand and addressed the joint assembly.

Gen. Logan wore his honors well. He said it was the proudest day of his existence. He paid a high compliment to Col. Morrison and Judge Tree. He concluded as follows: "If I go to Washington City to enter upon the duties of senator again, I do not go there with a burning fire in my bosom, heated up with animosities against any individual, or party, or administration. I shall go there to represent fairly those who have sent me there, without any desire to make war upon any one, but standing steadfastly by the views that I entertain and the sentiments that are now within my bosom. Gentlemen, again I thank you. I tender to you my kindest thanks and my gratitude, and say to you that I have not the power, I have not the ability, nor can I in any way that the might devise ever repay you for the manner in which you have stood by me in this legislature and in this state. I will, therefore, be ever indebted to you, and owe a debt of gratitude that, if I had the power, I would repay at once. And now, thanking you again, I hope at least that it will be understood that the wrong man had not been elected. [Prolonged applause and cheering.]

At night Senator Logan addressed acres of his fellow-countrymen in front of the Leeland hotel. Bands of music and large processions joined in celebrating his victory. Republicans and Democrats alike made the night grandly hilarious with song and revelry. In the midst of Logan's speech an alarm of fire scattered the crowd and contributed to the wildness of the scene. The capital city has not been so thoroughly aroused in years.

Dispatches from all over the state indicate that Gen. Logan's election is being very generally celebrated by torchlight processions, bands of music and speech-making.

The forecast here in Republican circles reaches out to the horizon of 1888. On the rim of it is the form of Senator Logan in a presidential attitude. Telegrams are pouring in to Gen. Logan from all over the country, many predicting this.

At night the senator received the following dispatch from his wife, who is in Washington: "Thank God you were successful. Make my thanks to the friends one and all who have stood by you so nobly."

The News at the National Capital.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 20.—The news of the re-election of Senator Logan causes general rejoicing here among Republicans. Democrats, of course, although most of them had lost hope for the past week, are correspondingly cast down. James G. Blaine expressed great pleasure when he heard of Senator Logan's re-election, and at once sent him a congratulatory dispatch, worded as follows: "Accept my most cordial congratulations. The contest was un-

precedented, and your victory is memorable."

Company A, Washington artillery, fired 100 rounds in honor of the election of John A. Logan as United States senator from Illinois.

A Democratic leader expressed his satisfaction because Logan's election would demonstrate the folly of sentimental politics. The president, he said, declined to use patronage in aiding the chance of a Democratic senator, and the result was the strengthening of the Republican column in the senate, which would necessarily operate as a menace to the administration throughout President Cleveland's entire term. Not a few shrewd observers, however, are of the opinion that the president acted wisely in not precipitating himself at this early period of his administration into the vortex of local politics and letting the Illinois squabble severely alone. They urge that such a course will elevate him in the estimation of the American people and in the end redound largely to the benefit of the Democratic party. Nevertheless do a majority of Democratic leaders now in Washington believe that the end to be accomplished in the election of a Democratic senator from Illinois in the present juncture would have justified the employment by the administration of any reasonable political means necessary to secure the desired result.

Red All Round the Horizon.

CHICAGO, May 20.—Telegrams from many points in every direction show that the election of Gen. Logan to the United States senatorship has awakened immense Republican enthusiasm. Clubs paraded, bonfires were lighted, guns and anvils fired, and general jollification reigned.

VICTOR HUGO REPORTED DEAD.

Perfectly Conscious to the End—A Sketch of His Life.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The Morning Journal of this city prints the following cablegram from Paris: Victor Hugo, the world-renowned novelist and poet, died Tuesday night. Throughout the day, though dying fast, Hugo remained perfectly conscious that his end was approaching. His bedside was surrounded by anxious watchers who sorrowfully awaited the moment of dissolution. All through the day the residence was besieged by anxious inquirers, eager to learn the condition of the dying poet, and many telegrams were received, their senders eager for similar information.

PARIS, May 21.—The condition of Victor Hugo was unchanged Tuesday evening. He retains his mental faculties, and not only regards his approaching death with calmness but expressly welcomes it.

[Victor Marie Hugo was born at Besancon, France, Feb. 26, 1802. His father was a colonel in the French army. Young Hugo received classical instruction in a religious house, and published his first volume of "Odes and Ballads" in 1822. He was admitted to the French academy in 1841, and was created a peer of France by Louis Philippe. In 1849 he was chosen president of the peace congress. After the establishment of the second empire he went into exile, passed several years in Guernsey, Jersey, and refused to avail himself of the general amnesty of 1859. Returning to France on the fall of the empire, he was elected to the national assembly at Bordeaux, but resigned his seat early in 1871 and went to Belgium, from which he was soon expelled by the Belgian government, on account of his sympathy with the Communists. He returned to Paris in 1871. He has lived most of the time of late years at his chateau in Guernsey. He was a very prolific writer. Among his more important works were "Notre Dame de Paris," "Les Misérables," "Histoire d'un Crime," "L'Homme qui Rit," "Ray Blas," "Marion de Lorme," "Hernani," "Le Roi L'Ameuse," "L'Année Terrible," etc.]

THE TROUBLE WITH ZALDIVAR.

He Advocates a Project Against Which He Took Arms.

NEW ORLEANS, May 20.—The steamer Carroll, which has arrived here from Port Barrios, brought papers confirming and explaining the resignation of President Zaldivar, of Salvador. Zaldivar issued a proclamation for a congress to be held last Friday for the purpose of forming a union of the Central American states, a project which Barrios lost his life in trying to carry out, and which Zaldivar opposed with the Salvadoran army. Each republic was to have five delegates in the congress, and it was to be held in Santa Cecilia, Salvador. Zaldivar offered to refuse the presidency of the United Republic, hoping by this to obtain the sanction of other states to the scheme. Guatemala flatly refused to join Zaldivar basing its opposition on the grounds that the congress should not be held in Salvador, and on the treachery of Zaldivar to Barrios when he proposed precisely the same thing. The opposition of the largest state of the five killed the project and made it necessary for Zaldivar to resign and leave the country.

NATIONAL COMMERCIAL CONVENTION

Important Meeting of Business Men at Atlanta, Ga.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 20.—The national commercial convention met here Tuesday morning at De Givies' opera house. Mr. Miles, president of the Columbus, Ohio, board of trade, was chosen temporary chairman. Hon. George Hilyer, mayor of Atlanta, delivered an address of welcome, followed by Mr. H. W. Grady in another from the Atlanta chamber of commerce. Responses were made by Gen. R. Brinkerhoff, of Ohio, Hon. Darwin R. Jones, of New York, and ex-Governor J. T. Gear, of Iowa. All the speeches were of a conciliatory nature—a kind of bridging the chasm and rejoicing in the death of sectionalism. Hon. Philo Parsons, of Detroit, was made permanent chairman. The discussion of the question of "commercial and reciprocity treaties between the United States and foreign countries" was the first taken up.

WITH TERRIBLE LOSS.

CENTRAL AMERICAN REBELS REPULSED AT CARTHAGENA.

Eight Hundred of Them Dead on the Field—The Northwest War—Otter's Fight—Unconfirmed—Plundering Red-Skins—Old World News.

COLON, May 20.—The United States war vessels Tennessee and Alliance have returned from Carthage. Admiral Jonett was unable to arrange terms of peace. The rebel Gytan, with 2,000 followers, made an assault on the walls of Carthage on the night of May 7. After a severe battle the insurgents were repulsed with a loss of 800 men. The rebels finally withdrew in their flotilla to Barranquilla. The American, Eckert, who commanded the flotilla in the assault on the city, was killed. One wing of the attacking land forces was led by Preston, the rebel who burned Colon. Gen. Vila, lawful president of Panama, with 4,000 men arrived at Carthage Tuesday. One thousand Caucaos have started from Colon for Carthage. Gen. Reyes will lead the combined forces against the rebels. When the siege of Carthage was raised the people were living on cats and dogs. Carthage is the capital of Bolivar, and its population is 9,000.

NOT OFFICIALLY CONFIRMED.

That Reported Fight with Poundmaker—Indian Ravages.

OTTAWA, May 20.—The reported engagement between Col. Otter's forces and Poundmaker's braves at Eagle hill, in which the former is said to have lost forty men and the latter 100 and 150 prisoners, has received no official confirmation at this writing.

The tone of the French press of Canada is in favor of Riel being dealt with leniently. The English press, on the other hand, demands his immediate execution. The impression prevails that the government dare not make the mistake of interposing in behalf of the rebel leader, and unless Riel succeeds in escaping from custody there is no probability of his ever again conducting a campaign on this side of eternity.

WINNIPEG, May 20.—Dispatches to the Hudson Bay company announce that several of their most important posts in the north Saskatchewan district have been plundered by the Indians, all the goods carried away or burned, and the officers and people turned adrift to starve. The post at Green lake, 200 miles north of Edmonton, toward lake Athabasca, was treated in the manner described. The loss to the company will be great.

OLD WORLD NEWS.

The "Jingo" Policy in France.

LONDON, May 20.—A Paris correspondent states that the "jingo" policy of France, in China, Madagascar and elsewhere has increased her national debt by \$100,000,000. This is interesting in comparison with the estimate of \$55,000,000 for the British war expenses, actual and prospective. It is also questioned whether France has really achieved anything more tangible than England has. The correspondent incidentally illustrates the difference between English and French methods of conducting public finances by saying that while no one would dream of suspecting, one Mr. Gladstone's cabinet of speculating no one in France supposes for a moment that "the gentlemen are so foolish as to neglect their opportunities." Scandals, of course, grow out of this state of affairs, as in the case of the accusations recently made against M. Ferry.

One of Gladstone's Tergiversations.

LONDON, May 20.—A dispatch from Tirpud to The Standard that Mr. Gladstone's statement that Sir Peter Lumsden urged the transfer of the boundary commission to London, is inaccurate. The fact is that Sir Peter, seeing that the commission was powerless, suggested that the cabinet had better complete the frontier negotiations. The above dispatch is probably inspired by Sir Peter himself.

The Ameer Getting Ready for the Worst.

LONDON, May 20.—The Standard's dispatch from Cabul states that the ameer of Afghanistan, alarmed at England's failure to resist Russian encroachments upon his domains, is preparing for the worst. He has sent the royal treasure to Badakshan, and is retiring himself with the flower of his army to that famous stronghold in the Hindoo-Koosh mountains.

The British Postal Telegraph.

LONDON, May 20.—An increase of 30 per cent in the volume of business is estimated for by the postoffice officials on account of the reduction of telegram rates to 12 cents per message. The government is therefore strapping 21,650 miles of new wire.

A further reduction of Atlantic cable rates is also reported to be imminent.

Lumsden To Be Lionized.

LONDON, May 20.—The Tories are preparing to lionize Sir Peter Lumsden upon his arrival from Afghanistan. They will try to make out that he has been offered up as a sacrifice to Russia by the Liberal high priests. An effort will be made to have the freedom of the city of London conferred upon him.

Still Grinding the Knives.

BOMBAY, May 20.—Warlike preparations continue throughout India with no sign of relaxation. Great quantities of munitions are being massed at the military depots, and work on the railway from Pishin through the Bolan pass is being pushed.

Much Sickness Among British Troops.

SUAKIM, May 20.—The medical men urge Gen. Lord Wolseley to hasten the departure

of the troops owing to the deadly effects of the weather. The new cases of sickness average 500 per week.

The American Wins Again.

LONDON, May 20.—In the tennis match here Tuesday Pettitt, the American, beat Heathcote by a score of 3 to 1.

Garibaldi's Memoirs.

ROME, May 20.—Garibaldi's sons will not publish the general's memoirs until 1893.

The Canneries Can Stand It.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 20.—The salmon fishermen at Astoria are still on strike, and by resolution declare they will not furnish fish at less than 70 cents apiece. The canneries appear perfectly indifferent, and can stand it longer than the fishermen. The fish now running are of a superior quality, but owing to the strike the amount put up will be small.

Wendell Phillips' Benevolence.

BOSTON, May 20.—A merchant writes to The Record explaining Wendell Phillips' investments in worthless mining stocks by saying that Mr. Phillips in several cases bought the stocks from unfortunate investors as an act of benevolence.

THE KANSAS CATAclysm.

Fifteen People Drowned So Far as Known—Worse Reports Apprehended.

LAWRENCE, Kan., May 20.—On Friday of last week, southern Kansas—Montgomery and Chatauque counties in particular—was visited by the severest rainstorm ever known in the annals of the state. About 100 miles of railway track was washed out. Little streams of a few rods width rose during the afternoon to rivers, three miles in width and 100 feet deep. The lower lands were overflowed, destroying the growing crops and killing many head of cattle and horses. The facts can not be obtained, but indications are that a large number of people also perished in the floods. It is certain that fifteen were drowned, the bodies of most of them having been found and buried. Owing to the swollen condition of the streams no news could be sent out before. Parties have been sent out to relieve the sufferers as much as possible.

OUT-OF-DOOR AMUSEMENTS.

The Race Course.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The first race at Rockaway Tuesday was for polo ponies 1/4 mile on the flat, Wild Tom won. Second race, 1/4 mile; Sir Hugh first, Driftwood second, Lochinvar third. Third race, 1/4 mile; Shelby Barnes first, Sir Hugh second, Pope Leo third. Fourth race, steeplechase, 3 miles; Jester first, Dundee second, Driftwood third. Fifth race, hurdle race, 1 1/4 miles; Pawnee first, Flames second, Emulation third. Sixth race, steeplechase, 3 miles; Rory O'More first, Capt. York second, Barometer third.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 20.—At the races Tuesday the first race, for 2-year-olds, 1/4 mile, was won by Bankrupt, Brookful second, Osceola third; time, 1:15 3/4. Second race, 3-year-olds, mile heats; Ten Booker first, Ernest second, Constellation third; time, 1:47 3/4, 1:45. Third race, all ages, 1 1/4 miles; Musk first, Compensation second, Silvio third; time, 1:56 3/4. Fourth race, steeplechase, all ages, full steeplechase course; P. Line first, Secret second, Australian third; time, 5:28 3/4.

BALTIMORE, May 20.—The spring meeting under the auspices of the Maryland Jockey club opened at Pimlico Tuesday. First race, 1/4 mile, Greenfield first, Miss Goodrich second, Emerson third; time, 1:17. Second race, 1 mile, Wickham first, Harefoot second, John C. third; time, 1:45 3/4. Third race, 1 mile, Olivette first, Joe Shelby second, Ballot third; time, 1:44 3/4. Fourth race, 1 1/4 miles, Hilarity first, Farewell second, Telie Doe third; time, 1:57. Fifth race, 1 1/4 miles, Mentmore first, Longview second, Bob May third; time, 2:11 3/4.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—The spring trotting meetings at Belmont park commenced Tuesday. The presence of the queen of the turf, Maud S., who is quartered at Belmont, lends a heightened interest to the event. First race, 3-minute class; Nettie Thorn won, Souvenir second, Boston Girl third; time, 2:25 3/4. Second race, 2:27 class; Lizzie R. won, Kittle Birch second; time, 2:24 3/4. Third race, pacing, 2:30 class; Honesty won, King Jim second, Jack Rapid third; time, 2:32.

Base Ball.

CHICAGO, May 20.—The following base ball scores were reported Tuesday evening: League: At Providence—St. Louis 2, Providence 10; at Boston—Buffalo 8, Boston 11; at New York—Detroit 4, New York 12; at Philadelphia—Chicago 11, Philadelphia 9. Other games: At St. Louis—St. Louis 9, Metropolitans 2; at Pittsburg—Athletics 8, Allegheny 11; at Cincinnati—Baltimore 6, Cincinnati 13; at Louisville—Brooklyn 1, Louisville 12; at Cleveland—Omaha 5, Cleveland 11; at Toledo—Kansas City 1, Toledo 5.

Only Three Thousand Dollars.

RACINE, Wis., May 20.—W. A. Spaulding, the defaulting bookkeeper of the Racine Wagon and Carriage company, who was captured at New Orleans, will be brought to this city at once for trial. The amount of the defalcation is a trifle over \$3,000, not \$32,000, as has been published.

Five Hundred Cases of Typhoid.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 20.—Plymouth ward committees report that a thorough canvass has been made, and that there are at present 500 cases of typhoid fever in the borough, including a portion of Plymouth township. Four deaths from the fever occurred Tuesday afternoon.

The Mackin-Gallagher Case.

CHICAGO, May 20.—The arguments in the application for a writ of error, before Judges Harlan and Gresham, were completed Tuesday, and the judges announced that their decision would be reserved until Thursday.

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Young People's Sunday Prayer meeting, at 7:30
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Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, at 7:30

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Young People's meeting Tuesday eve., at 7:30
Everybody's meeting Sunday eve., at 7:30
Prayer meeting Sunday evening, at 7:30

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Vesper, at 6:00
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morning prayer, and third Sunday of each month
at 11:00

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Seats free. All are invited.

AS THE FOOL DIETH,

SO PASSES AWAY A WASHINGTON
CITY SAM PATCH.

His Leap to Death from Brooklyn Bridge
—Taken from the Water with the
Life Shocked Out of Him—
Other Feats.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Professor R. E.
Odlum arrived in this city from Washing-
ton on Friday last to perfect arrangements
for his contemplated jump from the East
river bridge into the East river. When seen
by a reporter at Capt. Boyton's place in
West Twenty-ninth street he said: "I pro-
pose to jump from the bridge, notwithstanding
the statement of the bridge officials that
they will prevent me. I am confident that
the feat can be performed without mishap,
and I can assure the public that I am
as jealous of my personal
safety as a man well can be. I have care-
fully taken into consideration every detail
in connection with the undertaking, and the
more I study it the firmer I am convinced
of its feasibility. The height of the bridge
is 140 feet, being but thirty feet higher than
the jump I made in 1883 at Marshall Hall,
on the Potomac, which, in my opinion, was
far more dangerous than my proposed jump
from the bridge. In jumping I will be
attired in a close-fitting jersey
waist and trunks and step off with the left
foot first and strike the water with both
feet close together. My friends will be in a
boat below the bridge and will signal me
when the river is clear of boats, so that there
will be no danger of my landing on the
upper deck of a ferryboat or sound steamer.
Capt. Boyton will also be in the water at-
tired in his nautical rig to render me assistance,
should any be required."

A few minutes after 6 o'clock Tuesday
evening the professor jumped from near the
center of the bridge, and after striking the
water he disappeared for a few seconds. On
reappearing at the surface of the water he
seemed to be unconscious, and was carried
some distance by the tide. Capt. Rowe, of
the tug boat Charles Runyon, who witnessed
the act, succeeded with some difficulty in
reaching the body and took it to pier 11
East river, where it was taken
charge of by his friends. The act was wit-
nessed by hundreds of people who were
crossing the bridge, and at first it was
thought to be a case of suicide. When the
body of the professor was landed at the
dock at pier 11 it was found that life was
extinct. Capt. Rowe states that Odlum was
alive when taken from the water but died
before reaching the pier. At the request of
the dead man's friends the body was re-
moved to 470 Pearl street where Coroner
Kennedy will hold an inquest.

When Odlum jumped he went twenty feet
down straight with his hands above his
head until within twenty feet of the water,
when his body began to turn and he struck
on his back and side. The men who had
been in boats to help him after the jump
hurried to the spot where he struck the
water and disappeared. When he came
up Paul Boyton, who had jumped from a
tug, had swam up and he lifted the head of
the unconscious man and began to swim
back to the tug with him. Odlum re-
mained unconscious for some time, blood
occasionally coming from his mouth as his
friends worked over him. Presently he
moved a little and opened his eyes. Capt.
Boyton was leaning over him. "What
kind of a jump did I make?" he
asked faintly. There was a chorus of re-
plies that he had done splendidly. Odlum
smiled. It pleased him, it seemed, to
hear that he had surpassed the record and
survived it. He caught at the edge of the
table and tried to raise himself. Suddenly,
without warning, blood dripped from his
mouth and he fell back. "It is arterial

blood," some one said, "and he is dying."
Odlum heard it. He turned his head toward
Robertson, one of his friends. "Am I spit-
ting blood?" he muttered. "No," Robertson
replied, to encourage him. "It is only the
brandy I gave you." Odlum spoke no
more. When the boat was tied to Old Slip
wharf, he clutched at the table. Violent
internal hemorrhage was choking him. He
was too weak to raise himself, and while
William Muldoon was running from the
dock to order an ambulance Odlum died,
forty-three minutes after the leap. At Cor-
oner Kennedy's rooms a careful examina-
tion was held, from which it appeared that
the lower ribs on each side of the body had
been broken. The only remaining wound
visible was a bruise on the back directly
over the right hip.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 20.—Professor
R. E. Odlum, who jumped from the Brook-
lyn bridge Tuesday afternoon, was a resi-
dent of this city, where he has lived for
many years. He has had a varied career.
His first attracted notoriety by jumping
from the aqueduct bridge which spans the
Potomac at Georgetown. The dis-
tance was about ninety feet, and the
attempt was eminently successful.
He has given frequent exhibitions in
swimming jackets, and at one time con-
ducted a natorium, and at another period
was connected with a variety theatre as
usher, and still at another period was con-
nected with a summer resort on the Po-
tomac. Last year he was employed at the
Hygia hotel at Fortress Monroe, where he
saved several persons from drowning by the
expertness of his swimming. He was about
35 years of age and unmarried.

Southern Editors Fined.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 20.—At the city
court Walker Kennedy, editor of The Sun-
day Times, was fined \$50 for assault on G.
P. M. Turner, attorney general and editor
of The Scimitar. The latter was fined \$50
and bound over to the criminal court for
carrying a pistol. It was the result of a
long-standing personal quarrel, which cul-
minated Monday by Walker spitting in Tur-
ner's face as the latter sat in court. The in-
sulted man drew his pistol, and would have
killed Kennedy but for prompt police inter-
ference.

Withdrew His Surety.

PITTSBURG, May 20.—W. J. Denny, bonds-
man for G. L. Reiber in the sum of \$20,000
in the criminal cases against him as cashier of
the Penn bank, has refused to hold the po-
sition of surety any longer, and a bail piece
has been placed in the hands of a deputy
sheriff. The action of Mr. Denny caused
much surprise. When questioned as to the
matter he said he did not fear Reiber's de-
faulting, but had private reasons for with-
drawing his surety. Mr. Reiber's friends
say he will have no trouble in securing new
bondsmen.

Fire in the Sweetmeats.

CHICAGO, May 20.—Fire broke out in
Kranz's candy store on State street, and al-
though the firemen were promptly on hand,
gutting the establishment, causing a loss, ac-
cording to Mr. Kranz, of about \$17,000 in
stock. The building was damaged \$7,500.
The insurance is ample.

Flames Among the Pork.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 20.—Fire in Joseph
Gardner's pork-packing establishment in
West Columbus Tuesday night occasioned a
loss of \$20,000. Insurance, \$10,000.

Spokes from the National Hub.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 20.—Secretary
Whitney has returned to Washington.
The grand jury has found an indictment
against Butler Mahone, son of Senator Ma-
hona, of Virginia, for assault with intent
to kill Albert Wells. Wells was a colored
waiter at Welcker's hotel here, whom young
Mahone tried to shoot last February.

Postmaster General Vilas is awaiting the
result of experiments now being made in
the printing of postage stamps by steam
machinery before awarding the contract for
the next year's supply of stamps. If the
stamps printed by steam machinery are up
to standard, Mr. Vilas will adopt the new
mode, which is said to be much cheaper
than the old method of hand-printing.

Stopped by a Bullet.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., May 20.—Judge
Britton has overruled the motion for a new
trial in the murder case of Dennis and
Coffee, and sentenced them to hang on
Sept. 3, 1885. Both men cried and com-
pletely gave way when they were dismissed.
They were started to jail accompanied by
Officers Cox and Graines. When near the
jail entrance Coffee sprang over the fence
and started to run. Officer Cox pulled his
revolver and fired, hitting Coffee, but at
present it can not be learned how serious he
is hurt. Great excitement prevailed, but
both murderers are now safely in jail.

Will Spoil His Usefulness.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 20.—Frank Lan-
ders, the famous forger with many aliases,
has been sentenced to twenty-four years in
the penitentiary. He had six indictments
hanging over him. Landers will be remem-
bered as having swindled several jewelry
firms throughout the country. The Jew-
elers' Protective association through the
Pinkertons finally secured his arrest and
brought him here for trial.

Jere Dunn Did Not Skip.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Jere Dunn will not
be arrested for taking the receipts of the
Muldoon-Abs wrestling match. Abs' man-
ager refuses to make a complaint. Dunn
claims he was entitled to two-thirds of the
receipts and that he took only what be-
longed to him as manager for Muldoon.

Fled to the States.

MONTREAL, May 20.—A. Bernard, cash
bookkeeper of the Bank of Montreal, and
son of ex-Mayor Bernard, has fled to the
states and is said to be short in his account-
s to an extent not yet ascertained.

Willing to Let It All Go in.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 20.—The cross-
examination of ex-Secretary Chandler oc-
cupied most of the time of the Wales' court-
martial. Mr. Chandler stated that he had
decided to have Dr. Wales' successor ap-
pointed before going into an examination of
the reported frauds. He knew of the al-
leged frauds but did not inform Dr. Wales
about them, feeling that if he had done so
when there was a cloud upon the
management of his bureau, Dr. Wales would
have regarded it as a movement
in opposition to his reappointment. In the

course of the cross-examination Mr. Chan-
dler identified a letter written by himself and
published in the newspapers generally of
July 4, 1884, in reply to statements made in
a speech by Vice President Hendricks, re-
specting navy department frauds. "It is a
very good letter," said Mr. Chandler. "I
have no objection to its going in. I want ty-
pographical errors to be corrected. As my
animus is on trial and I do not want to
come back here, I take occasion to say that
I would like to have the report of Mr. Hen-
dricks' speech put in evidence also. I have
no objection, so far as I am concerned, to
having the presidential election contest of
last year tried over again in this case."
The ex-secretary, before leaving the stand,
disclaimed any feeling against Dr. Wales.
"About two weeks ago," he said, "I bowed to
Dr. Wales and he declined to speak to me,
so I have no personal relations with him;
but even after that I have no feeling against
him whatever."

Presidential Favorites.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 20.—The presi-
dent has made the following appointments:
To be collectors of customs—J. L. F. Cot-
trell, for the district of St. Marks, Florida;
John J. McGuire, for the district of Pensa-
cola, Florida. To be collector of internal
revenue—John T. Hillsman, for the Fifth
district of Tennessee. Frank H. Pierce, of
New Hampshire, to be United States consul
at Mantanzas, vice David Vickers, sus-
pended.

Some Rascals Who Must Go.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 20.—A circular
letter has been prepared at the treasury de-
partment, which says that, while it is not
considered the business of the department to
assist in the collection of bills, the continued
refusal of employes to meet their just debts
will be considered sufficient cause for their
discharge.

A Hideous Fancy.

[Cincinnati Enquirer.]
A "Lady Rambler" of St. Paul, Minn.,
writes thus of a barbarous fashion there:
"There seems to be a hideous fancy just now
for decorating black bonnets with white
beads. The designs are evidently symbolic,
perhaps they are tokens of tribes, ranging
from small wreaths of flowers to birds and
animals of most unnatural appearance. One
would imagine that somebody had been
taking lessons from our Indian neighbors,
did they not usually exhibit more taste and
skill."

Bleached Blondes Doomed.

[New York Star.]
Bleached hair is doomed, and the unfortun-
ates who have lately acquired a growth will
be accused of bad taste and considered out
of the pale of fashionable society. Reddish
blonde, known as Titian red, red browns
and delicate auburn are in constant demand.
Black and dark browns can easily be given
the desired shade, but the bleached blondes
will have to shingle off their faded crop and
grow a natural one, and meanwhile wear a
wig or take advantage of the "jockey" mode.

A Pointer on Child-Raising.

[Rochester Democrat.]
I was walking up Elm street the other
day when I noticed a boy, about 3 years old,
playing in a yard. He was all bundled up,
and was about twenty feet away from the
porch of the house. He couldn't go any
further, as he had on a kind of a harness
made of red flannel straps, and a rope
fastened to a post of the porch was tied to
it. You see, all his mother had to do when
she wanted him was to pull in on the rope.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, May 19.
The market quotations on the board of
trade to-day were as follows: Wheat—No. 2
May, opened 89½¢, closed 88½¢; June,
opened 90½¢, closed 89½¢; July, opened
92½¢, closed 91½¢; Corn—No. 2 May,
opened 49½¢, closed 48½¢; June, opened
48½¢, closed 48½¢; July, opened 48½¢, closed
47½¢; Oats—No. 2 May, opened 34½¢,
closed 34½¢; June, opened 34½¢, closed
34½¢; July, opened 34½¢, closed 34½¢.
Pork—June, opened \$11.12½, closed \$11.12½;
July, opened \$11.20, closed \$11.22½; Au-
gust, opened \$11.30, closed \$11.30½. Lard—
June, opened \$6.77½, closed \$6.77½.

Live stock—The Union stock yards report
the following range of prices: Hogs—
Market active and strong, packers and ship-
pers buying at 5¢10¢ advance; light grades,
\$4.15¢4.40; rough packing, \$4.00¢4.15;
heavy packing, \$4.20¢4.35. Cattle—Market
slow and steady; shipping, \$4.65¢5.75; bulk,
\$5.00¢5.25; butchers, \$2.50¢4.50; stockers,
\$3.50¢4.75; Texans, \$3.65¢4.40. Sheep—
Market stronger; shorn, \$2.30¢4.00; woolled,
\$4.00¢4.75.

Produce: Butter—Fine creamery, 18¢20¢;
good to choice dairy, 12¢16¢; packing, 5¢
8¢ per lb. Eggs—choice counts, 12¢12½¢
per doz. Potatoes—Good to fine, 40¢45¢
per bu. Poultry—Live turkeys, 12¢14¢;
ducks, 12¢14¢; chickens, 10½¢11¢ per lb.;
spring chickens, \$4.00¢7.00 per doz. Apples
—\$3.00¢4.00 per bbl. Hay—Fair to choice
timothy, \$14.00¢17.00, and do upland
prairie, \$14¢15¢ per ton.

New York.

NEW YORK, May 19.
Wheat—½¢ higher, somewhat unset-
tled, with very little life to the trading; No.
1 white, nominal; No. 2 red June, \$1.03½¢;
1.03½¢; do July, \$1.05¢1.05½¢; do August,
\$1.06½¢; do September, \$1.07½¢1.08¢.
Corn—½¢ higher, and moderately active;
mixed western spot, 53¢53½¢; do future,
55¢55½¢. Oats—A shade better and quiet;
western, 38¢45¢. Provisions—Beef dull;
new extra, \$11.50¢12.00. Pork firm; new
mess, \$12.00. Lard a shade stronger but
quiet; steam rendered, \$7.00.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, May 19.
Wheat—Higher but slow, and closed
about ½¢ below top figures; No. 2 red cash,
\$1.06½¢1.07¢; May, \$1.06½¢; June, \$1.06½¢
bid; July, \$1.07½¢. Corn—Higher, but in-
active; cash, 47¢48¢; May, 47½¢; June, 48½¢;
July, 47¢. Oats—Firm, but low;
cash 37½¢ bid; May, 37½¢ bid. Rye—
Firm; 72½¢ bid. Provisions—Pork quiet;
jobbing, \$11.25. Lard quiet; \$6.60¢6.65.
Whisky—Quiet; \$1.13.

Detroit.

DETROIT, May 19.
Wheat—Dull; No. 1 white, cash \$1.02½¢;
June, \$1.03½¢ bid; July, \$1.05½¢; No. 2 red
cash, \$1.01½¢; June, \$1.02½¢; July, nominal,
\$1.04¢. No. 3 red, nominal 92¢. Corn—No. 2
51½¢ cash, June, 51½¢ bid. Oats—No. 2
white, 40½¢; No. 2, 38½¢ cash; June,
nominal 38¢.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, May 19.
Wheat—Dull; No. 2 red cash and May,
53½¢; June, 91¢ bid; July, 93½¢ bid; August,
97¢; year, 93½¢; No. 2 soft, \$1.04. Corn—
Strong; No. 2 cash and May, 50½¢; June,
51½¢ bid; July, 51½¢ bid. Oats—nominal.

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FIFTY YEARS AGO.

GATHERING OF THE CLANS AT AN "OLD VIRGINNY" WEDDING.

The Feverish Excitement of Expectation—Lavish Hospitality—How Guests Came—Driving Four-in-Hand—"A Time When Wedding's Was Wedding's."

[Mrs. F. G. de Fontaine in New York Graphic.]

Fifty years ago old Roanoke was in a feverish state of excitement over an event which was destined to unite the interests and estates of two of the oldest and most influential families in Virginia. Weeks in advance the clans had been gathering from the neighboring states to do honor to the occasion, and when the day of the wedding arrived "Oakland," the ancestral home of the bride, was taxed to its utmost to accommodate the numerous guests. "Peyton Hall," the adjoining estate owned by a relative, also threw open its hospitable doors, and was soon filled to overflowing by the wedding company that came with big box, little box, bandbox and bundle. Cots were placed in parlors and libraries, pallets laid on every available floor, while each lounge and sofa had one or more occupants.

In those days a wedding could not be managed as an impromptu affair, for the soil of "Old Virginny" was not then, as it now is, crossed and recrossed by innumerable railroads, and supplies had to be wagoned over hundreds of miles of territory. On this occasion the confectionery and everything which could not be manufactured upon the plantation was brought from Richmond by canal boat to Lynchburg and from thence to Roanoke, a distance of several hundred miles, and a week being consumed in the operation. Nothing else was talked of for months in advance, and the old county was stirred to its center, for naught so revolutionizes a country place as a wedding. The neighboring forests paid their tribute in holly, and the traditional mistletoe bough was suspended on high, under which, if any victim was caught, she was compelled to pay the accustomed forfeit, which could be claimed by any cavalier in the room so inclined.

Chickens, ducks and turkeys, which had been kept in fattening coops for weeks, lost their heads, while rotund pigs with apples in their mouths looked placidly upon the preparations for their consumption. New gowns were given to the female servants, while the brass buttons on the livery of the males were brightened to a startling degree. Old "Uncle Ben" was the centre figure in this last brigade, and the amount of importance with which he was usually invested seemed to have doubled itself on this occasion, and he became a most pronounced autocrat, dictating terms to his own color and offering suggestions to his master, who, as he had been a faithful old butler for many years, listened to him with the utmost consideration.

Oakland and Peyton hall stood side by side. Each of these rich estates retained and respected the traditions which had been handed down from generation to generation by those with whose names they were identified. Old landmarks were carefully preserved; old trees, bending beneath the weight of years, were jealously kept in place by artificial means, while from the walls of the immense salons looked many generations in powdered wigs, ruffles and short clothes. The owners of these estates were gentlemen of the "old school," chivalrous, honorable and high-toned; quick to resent an insult or to avenge a wrong and just as quick to pardon an offence where honor was not involved. They were of the stock which gave to Virginia her Light-Horse, Harry Lee, John Randolph, Robert E. Lee, and scores of others who have made that state famous as the mother of statesmen.

Many a gay party of gentlemen and gallant cavaliers galloped down those avenues to the summons of the hunter's horn calling them to a fox hunt or a deer chase, to return in the evening to a brilliant ball or whist party where egg-nog and hot apple toddy were the features of the evening, while the "antlers" or the "brush," trophies of the day's sport, were prominent in the decorations. Preparations were made on the most lavish scale, and although all the accessories of the supper had to be wagoned hundreds of miles this wedding is referred to by octogenarians and centenarians of the county as one of the finest ever witnessed in Old Roanoke. "That was a time when wedding's was wedding's" recently said an old gray haired servant of the family who still retains a vivid recollection of the event.

When the night of the wedding arrived the clans had gathered from far and near and it is safe to say that never was there a more brilliant assemblage in old Roanoke county.

Many of the guests came hundreds of miles in private conveyances. There were no commodious hotels near by where comfortable quarters could be obtained for man and beast, consequently the hospitality of both Oakland and Peyton hall was severely taxed. At one time sixty extra horses stood in the stables of Peyton hall alone, a like number also testing the corn bins of Oakland.

Col. William C. Preston, the distinguished southern statesman, whose wit and eloquence added brilliancy to more than one presidential administration, drove all the way from his home in South Carolina, four-in-hand, while his baggage-wagon, containing the maids and valets of the party, brought up the rear. Mrs. Floyd, the wife of Governor Floyd, also came, driving four-in-hand. In fact, this was the general style at that time, and we find that the people of fifty years ago were quite as tenacious in regard to these matters as their descendants of to-day. Snuff-colored equipages mounted high in the air on immense springs were enregle. To attempt to descend from one of these swinging conveyances was tantamount to jeopardizing a life insurance policy, for the frail steps wiggled and turned at every movement, and it required the skill of a tactician to ascend and descend without making a faux pas.

"How well I remember that wedding," said a Virginia matron to me a few days ago. "I was only a child then at Peyton hall, and children on those days were not as they now are, prominent features of such occasions, but I distinctly recollect my old black mammy putting a clean apron on me, taking me by the hand and showing me all the nice things, then promising if I'd be a good girl, that she'd give me an orange the following day." Think of a child in this day and generation being contented with the promise of an orange the day after a wedding!

THE MAGIC ART.

SOME REMARKABLE ILLUSIONS AND UNEXPLAINED TRICKS.

The Wonderful Performances of a Party of Traveling Magicians in Anam—Materializations in Broad Day—Light—A Decapitation.

[Philadelphia Times.]

"It's rather a curious fact," said a gentleman and unprofessional prestidigitateur, "that none of the shows and circuses that use so many adjectives in describing what they have got do not bring to this country a really fine troupe of magicians. It may be possible that they will not come, but it certainly would be a paying investment, as the people in the United States have no adequate idea of the tricks that are executed by some of the jugglers of the east.

"The finest exhibition I ever witnessed," continued the speaker, "was in Anam. I was traveling through the country with a party of German officials, when we stopped one night at an inn where it chanced that a number of magicians were resting. There were six of them, four men and two women, all very small, except one, who was a fleshy giant, resembling the typical wrestlers. I soon made their acquaintance, as I was then greatly interested in legerdemain, and soon won their good will. They were very eager for me to show them an exhibition of my skill. I did so, but in every case they caught me and laughed at my efforts, excepting once. Though I tried some of our best tricks upon them, curiously enough, the most stupid thing of all fooled them. It was the old 'Pharaoh's serpents' trick, which was so much in vogue some years ago.

"After I had finished my exhibition the doors were closed, and only those admitted who paid a regular admittance fee—a small sum—and soon the apartment being filled the magicians began their performance. The audience sat on the floor about the fakirs, so that they had no way of concealing themselves or of hiding any thing. At their request I examined them and satisfied myself that they had nothing about them. Then one of the women stepped into the inclosure, the rest remaining behind the spectators, who formed a close ring around them. The light was now turned down a little, and in a moment the woman's face began to be illumined by a ghostly light that extended quickly over her entire body. She then began to move round and round, uttering a low, murmuring sound the while, gradually quickening the pace until she was whirling about like a top.

"A moment of this and the light that had clung about her seemed to be whirled off by centrifugal force, and assumed a pillar-like form beside her. As soon as this was accomplished she stopped, turned, and began to mold the light with her hands, and, though I could distinctly see her hands move through the light as if it were a cloud, it began to assume human form. We saw the arms, hands and legs all molded, and finally a face and headgear. She next called for a light, and, the candles being relighted there stood an utter stranger, a native seemingly evolved out of cloudland. He stepped forward and grasped me by the hand; his hands were moist, as if with perspiration, and he was a very healthy spirit. After he had talked and drank a glass of rack, he took his place beside the woman again and began to whirl about.

"The lights were dimmed, but not so that we could not see, and in a few moments the figure began to fade, soon assuming the appearance of a pillar or form of light and then attaching itself to the woman and seemingly being absorbed by her. All this was done in a very short space of time, before the eyes of at least fifty people, and not ten feet from myself. The girl appeared greatly exhausted afterward. Now this would be explained by the Psychological society as some new sense or power, etc., but between you and I, who know that all things can be explained by cold facts, it was merely a clever trick, so skillfully done that I did not discover it in any way or shape.

"The man next took his place in the ring, and, handing me a large, highly ornamented sabre, he said: 'In five minutes by the clock I wish you to behead me.' I objected, of course, but he insisted, and said it had been done a dozen times, so I finally agreed. He was searched, and in the dim light began to contort himself in strange positions until he seemed to grow perceptibly smaller, and finally stood before us so gauzy that I thought I could see right through him. It was now five minutes, so I took the sabre and struck a light blow, only sufficient to knock a man over, when, to my horror, the blood spurted into my face and the head dropped with a thud upon the floor. As soon as it fell the body stooped and picked it up, held it in the air, then placed it upon the shoulders. The full light being turned on, there stood the giant, grinning and warm.

"The blood? That had faded away by the time the light was turned up, and you must remember, that in all this though the light was dim it was not sufficient to prevent our seeing every thing, and seemed to be used only that we might observe the figures of lights that were evolved so curiously from the mediums, as our spiritualists would call them.

"The next trial was equally mystical. All the party now stepped into the ring and began to chant and move about. In a few minutes they ceased and we observed that one was missing, though no one saw him go. A moment after the whirling was repeated and another was found to have disappeared, and so on until in fifteen minutes only the giant was seen. More light being given us, a noise was heard at the door and, upon some one going to it, there stood the mystic five clamoring for admission. That ended the performance for the night and I sat up the rest of it, or well into the morning, trying to figure out how it was all done. The natives accepted it as magic without debate, and I began to think that was about the easiest way out of it.

"The following day another performance was given at mid-day that was even more wonderful. The giant, as I called him, caused the audience to sit on a grass plat, leaving a circle of about twenty-five feet across, and in this the jugglers took their places, the giant opening the entertainment by taking a roll of ribbon, and by a text-book toss sending it up fifty feet or so, where we distinctly saw a small hawk dart at it and carry it up higher until we nearly lost sight of it. It then seemed to enter a cloud

that, I assumed, was caused by something burning on the ribbon; but from the cloud came sliding down, first a dog, then a snake—a good big one, too—that wriggled off the moment it touched the ground and was captured by the men.

Then a large object was seen sliding along and one of the women leaping forward received and held it out to the crowd, a laughing native baby. The giant had all this time held the end of the ribbon and releasing it it seemed to disappear in the air; at any rate we saw it no more. A few moments later they all joined hands and began to move about rapidly. When they moved to the right I distinctly counted twelve persons in the circle; when they changed the movement we saw only eight and some one appeared to standing in the center. "These are only samples of the marvels, as I might say that they went through."

BRAHMA.

I am the mote in the sunbeam, and I am the burning sun; "Rest here!" I whisper the atom; I call to the orb: "Roll on!"

I am the blush of morning, and I am the evening breeze; I am the leaf's low murmur, the swell of the terrible seas.

I am the net, the fowler, the bird and its frightened cry; The mirror, the form reflected, the sound and its echo, I;

The lover's passionate pleading, the maiden's whispered fear, The warrior, the blade that smites him, his mother's heart-wrung tear;

I am intoxication, grapes, winepress, and must, and wine, The guest, the host, the traveler, the goblet of crystal fine.

I am the breath of the flute, I am the mind of man, Gold's glitter, the light of the diamond, and the sea-pearl's lustre wan—

The rose, her post-nightingale, the songs from his throat that rise, The flint, the sparks, the taper, the moth that about it flies;

I am both Good and Evil, the deed and the deed's intent, Temptation, victim, sinner, crime, pardon and punishment;

I am what was, is, will be—creation's ascent and fall; The link, the chain of existence; beginning and end of all.

BRITISH CONSOLS.

The Peculiarities of English Bonds Explained—How Prices Vary.

[The Current.]

As the price of British consols (an abbreviation of "consolidated annuities" and pronounced either con-sols or con-sols, but naturally the latter way) is a certain mark of the feeling of security or insecurity of financiers of all kinds in London, the reader may just now be in need of the reminder that by far the greater portion of the national debt of the United Kingdom has been funded into a perpetual obligation of 3 per cent. interest per annum to the holders.

The British ministers, when they desire to borrow money, instead of offering a \$1,000 bond at 6, 7 or 8 per cent., principal payable in ten or forty years, as was done in America, say to the money-lender: "We will pay 3 per cent. on everything we borrow. Now, how much of a bond do you want in return for \$1,000?" The money-lender has received as high as \$1,774 and as low as \$998, according to the degree of credit enjoyed by the government. In this way the government has piled up an imaginary obligation of \$3,500,000,000, or, in reality, has written an annual pension-roll of \$145,000,000.

Now let us suppose that a man desires to "lend money to the government"—that is, to take the place of those who have so lent it, or of those whose ancestors so lent it. The investor takes \$1,000 into the market. If Napoleon has just signed the peace of Tilsit, the lender obtains, as aforesaid, a bond for \$1,774, on which he ever afterward is to draw 3 per cent. If Disraeli has just torn up Russia's treaty of San Stefano and taken Cyprus, the lender gets only an even bond for his \$1,000.

Again, if time pass, and a premier without the governmental requisite of an iron will allow the nation to drift into a position of isolation with the most of the world and hostility toward the good fighters, then the holder sells his bond for \$949, and may be glad to get that much. This holder has before held bonds for which he paid \$1,000 and sold as low as \$800, and as high as \$1,029. Consols have not been so low for seven years as they are at this crisis, but they are still firm, as 80 would be considered very low and 100 very high.

The idea of the consol wherein it differs from the American consolidated debt, is that the principal may vary in amount, but the interest never. This makes easier book-keeping for the treasury, but exposes the treasurer to all the greater temptations to borrow. The dealings in government securities are "cleared" or "settled" once a month. This day (or any other like it) is called the London Account, and is the greatest of all the financial observances in the world. The actual payments of money balances at this clearing mount into the hundreds of millions.

The Climate in New Orleans.

[Bakely Hall in Philadelphia Press.]

"Speaking of the effect of the climate," he continued, "you should observe the change that has come over the Philadelphia policemen who came on here as guardians of the Liberty bell. You have seen some of the N'Or's police: Round shoulders, hollow-eyed, dyspeptic and tired. They wear their coats and waistcoats buttoned, smoke cigarettes, carry mabreilas and are all suffering from malaria or chills. Most of them are beyond 50 and they are shockingly frowzy, y' know. There are only eighty of the poor invalid devils and their territory extends over 153 square miles. The people here had never seen anything like the policemen in the north, and when the fine-looking, healthy men came down from Philadelphia they provoked as much comment as the bell itself.

"Well, I've taken a malicious pleasure in watching the effect of the climate on the Philadelphia policemen. It first showed itself in a lack of erectness in carriage. The men became a bit round-shouldered and their heads hung forward. Then they lost the alert and wide-awake air that characterized them at first and, after that, they grew worse and worse until one of them passed my stand this morning wearing a dusty cardigan jacket, a cloth cap and unpolished boots. He actually slouched along. That's the effect of the climate.

Lee Center.

There will be union services in the churches here next Sabbath, held in the Congregational church in the morning and the M. E. church in the evening. Subject for the discourses "Foreign Missions," followed by a collection to aid that cause.

Mrs. B. I. Hitchcock and daughter, of Leadville, are at Mrs. E. Woodbridge's to spend the summer.

Mrs. Lewis Clapp, who spent the winter in Chicago, has returned to her summer residence here.

Fred Dagner, of Bradford, is soon to erect a spacious residence.

Mrs. E. Aschbrenner, of Bradford, is preparing to build a mammoth barn. A. Shoemaker, of Amboy, has the contract.

Fred Selee, of Iowa, spent the Sabbath with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Salisbury went to Sublette on Wednesday evening to be present at a double wedding at Mr. Joel Cook's. Miss La Von Cook to Mr. E. Purely and Miss May Barton and Mr. Patterson were the happy couples.

Mrs. John McKay, of Chicago, is at the home of her sister, Mrs. Willard Salisbury. The lady was very ill when she arrived here, but is rapidly recovering under the skillful treatment of Dr. Leavens.

Quite a number of the people of our village, old as well as young, have been suffering with Roseola or Rose Rash.

Charles Saunders left for Nebraska on Thursday last to visit his sister, Mrs. Vale.

A surprise party waited on Rev. Apthorp and lady last Thursday; that being the twenty-fourth anniversary of their marriage. Mrs. Apthorp was presented with an elegant black silk dress.

Mrs. Henry Hillison, of Franklin township, was thrown from a buggy while driving with her two little sons. All were hurt though not seriously.

From Grand Detour.

Gracia and Myra Edwards, of Parsons, Kansas, are here visiting with their grandmother, Mrs. Cunningham, and other friends.

Mrs. Solon Cumins was visiting friends here.

Promenaders now throng the streets evenings. The warm weather has been great blessing.

Mrs. House and daughter, Mrs. Potter, and granddaughter, Miss Nellie Marsh, of Henry, Ill., came Sunday to tarry a few days.

C. H. Lattimer was here last Friday and Saturday resetting Solon Cumins' monument.

At a meeting last Saturday evening arrangements were made and are being perfected for Decoration day in Grand Detour.

Last Tuesday several persons, both men and women went to the cemetery and raked up the leaves and cleaned a part of the cemetery.

John W. Cooper's two youngest children are sick with scarlet fever. The other children that have had the fever are well.

RALPH.

From Compton.

John Blair arrived here last Thursday morning with another carload of potatoes. This is the second one he has brought to this place.

B. F. Bradshaw returned from Sioux Rapids, Iowa, last Saturday morning, where he has been looking after his farming interests.

Sam Miller and James Armstrong have gone to Nebraska.

M. M. Avery is under the doctor's care. S. B. Herrington has his house nearly finished.

Children's day will be observed at this place, Malugins Grove and Compton combined.

Geo. Cobb passed through here last week with a new carriage from Mendota. We are not afraid to say now that Geo has the finest team and buggy in the country.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R. R.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

Sterling Passenger	6:50, A. M.
Pacific Express	10:35 " "
Marshalltown Passenger	2:05, P. M.
Leaves	2:20, P. M.
Denver Passenger	3:10, P. M.
Freight	9:14, P. M.
Freight	7:43, A. M.
Freight	1:43, P. M.

GOING WEST.

Sterling Passenger	7:55, P. M.
Pacific Express	3:42 " "
Marshalltown Passenger	12:25 " "
Leaves	12:40, A. M.
Denver Passenger	6:50, A. M.
Freight	12:25, P. M.
Freight	3:00, " "
Freight	5:40, " "

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger	11:10, A. M.
Passenger	3:20, " "
New Passenger	1:50, P. M.
Freight	5:50, A. M.
Freight	4:17 " "

GOING NORTH.

Passenger	1:55, P. M.
Passenger	1:52, A. M.
New Passenger	6:30, A. M.
Freight	3:00, " "
Freight	3:05, A. M.

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Save your money for Thursday, May 21
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FIRE!

To-morrow, (Thursday) May 21, being the Great Sale of the Insurance Company's Fire Clothing Store. The stock consisting of a very fine line of Men's Youths' and Boys' Clothing, Furnishing Goods &c., all ordered sold at 40c on the dollar. For the convenience of buyers the store room, corner Main and Peoria streets, has been rented for the display of these goods. Remember this great sale will positively last only eleven (11) days; so avail yourself of this opportunity at once to buy the very best of clothing at the unheard of price of 40c on the dollar. Remember the location, Main and Peoria streets.

- Go to the rink to-night.
- Mrs. Geo. Fletcher is in Chicago.
- The "Midgits" at the rink to-night.
- C. W. Church, of Sterling, is in the city.
- W. E. Ives, of Amboy, is attending court.
- Harry Howland, of Sterling, is visiting relatives.
- Mrs. Mary E. Camp has returned from Chicago.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gruyer have returned from Michigan.
- M. D. Hathaway, the leading lawyer of Rochelle, is here attending court.
- A card announces that the Sterling Fair will commence on September 8th.
- Singers are requested to meet at the M. E. church to make preparations for Decoration Day.
- Paul Petit is here, from Minneapolis visiting his old friends and father-in-law, Alderman Julien.
- The Jones sisters will appear at the rink to-night. Admission fifteen cents, skates ten cents.
- Harry Chiverton in alighting from a wagon, yesterday, broke several ligaments in the side of his foot.
- The wars are about over; both England and Russia are ready to settle; and Riel's rebels about Winnipeg are giving up the fight.
- An out door temperance meeting will be held in the Court House yard Sunday next, 4:30 p. m. Several addresses will be made. The singing will be led by Prof. T. M. Towne, of Chicago. If the weather is unfavorable the services will be held in the Baptist church.

-Noseworthy's milk wagon took another run across the bridge this morning.

-Mr. Jones, of Freeport, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. J. O. Hoff, has returned home to-day, his sister accompanying him.

-Miss Etta and Amelia Hobart, who have been visiting their brother, W. P. Hobart, have returned to their home in Vermont.

-Misses Nellie and Carrie McMartin left for Sioux Falls, Dakota, to-day, where they will spend the summer with their brother, Thomas.

-About an hour after the DAILY TELEGRAPH had announced the election of General Logan to the United States Senate Mrs. J. W. Bennett, in West Dixon, gave birth to a boy weighing twelve pounds and the happy father immediately christened the young Republican John Logan Bennett.

-Lawyer Ed. F. Dutcher, of Oregon, got in a center shot on lawyer Mitchell, of Rockford, at the lawyer's convention last week. We might say that the cut was more particularly severe on Mr. Mitchell's friends, the few who were against the re-nomination of the present Circuit Judges. Lawyer Mitchell was making a speech in favor of a secret ballot, urging that such privacy would more clearly express the feelings of the meeting; owing to the supposition that there were lawyers there who did not have the nerve to express themselves in opposition to the gentlemen now holding the positions. Mr. Mitchell himself was not afraid to express himself, he said, on all occasions; openly and above board; but his co-workers in their efforts to defeat the judges now in office, were not as brave. To all this Lawyer Dutcher, with his stentorian voice, made brief reply, keen as a damascene blade. He said that the gentleman from Winnebago says that he wants a secret vote not because he himself is a coward but owing to the fact that his friends are very timid. And then the noted gentleman from Oglesaid, "If I thought I had any friends who are greater cowards than I am I would disown them." There was loud and long applause, but not much more said in favor of a secret ballot.

-Washington newspaper correspondents now "take pleasure" in contradicting an absurd rumor that they themselves started, to the effect that Miss Cleveland had had a quarrel with her brother, the President, concerning the matter of serving liquors at dinners; and other matters social. Miss Cleveland is absent from Washington on a visit. A writer says is "Miss Cleveland that she went to the White House in obedience to a sense of duty, and she has shown since she has been the central social figure of the country that she honors the place she fills and is true to its traditions. Her prompt and loyal approval of her brother's wishes in every matter affecting his office as President is evidence of her great good sense and sincere intention to strengthen the social side of the Administration. The radical temperance friends of Miss Cleveland may disapprove of her course in countenancing wine in the White House, but she has a sense of the fitness of things which is as unerring as her judgment is strong."

-A note from Rev. W. N. Spencer requests the TELEGRAPH to state that the Conference of Dixon District of the M. E. church will be held at Rochelle on 26, 27 and 28th instants. The fare on the return will be one-third regular rates. Persons should procure certificates from the Secretary of the Conference, which are to be presented to the agent. On Tuesday the exercises will commence with a sermon by the Bishop. During the Conference the following subjects will be discussed by the reverend gentlemen named: "Revivals, and How To Keep The Converts," R. S. Cantine. "Best Method And Time For Receiving Probationers," M. E. Cady. "Do Science And Revelation Agree?" Robert Proctor. "Our Present Duty As Temperance Workers," W. D. Atchinson. "How Can We Prepare Our People For Camp Meeting?" A. H. Miller. "The Pastor's Duty To The Unsaved," W. H. Locke. "The Pastor's Relation To The Class Meeting, And The Best Method Of Conducting It," M. W. Satterfield. "Christ As A Teacher," E. W. Drew. "The Future Of Methodism," F. H. Sheets. "Systematic Giving; Its Rules And Motive," T. V. E. Sweet. "Divorce And The Church," John Hitchcock. "The Pastor And Sabbath School," C. Davis. "Care Of Baptized Children," J. T. Roberts. "The Pastor In Politics," J. S. David.

Sudden Death.

A dispatch to D. H. Spencer, of this city, announces the death of his brother, Howard, at his home in Nebraska. No particulars were given and as he has been in good health his death is supposed to have been accidental.

Since the above was placed in type we learn further that the young man was killed the machinery of his plaining mill.

SCHOOL TEACHERS.—The following applicants to S. J. Howe, Superintendent of schools of Lee County, have, since THE TELEGRAPH's last report, received certificates to teach:

Name	Address	Grade.
Grant Bly	Ashton	Second.
M. M. Beeman	Lee Centre	"
Will Farrand	Paw Paw	"
Chas. H. Woodard	Harmon	"
Lillie Messer	Dixon	"
Addie G. Bunnell	"	"
Mammie Irving	"	"
Elma Blakesla	"	"
Lorenzo Preston	"	"
Anna Drew	"	"
Zulia Pembroke	"	"
Ida Samuell	Rochelle	"
Robt. Hutchinson	Eldena	"
Wm. N. Watters	Compton	"
Susia Talty	Harmon	"
Kate Flynn	Rochelle	"
Jessie Hall	"	"
Thompson Beauc	Shabbona	"
Lizzy Dowd	Amboy	"
L. J. Nowlin	"	"
Hattie Giles	Ashton	"
R. W. Knight	Ohio	"
Inez Russell	Franklin Grove	"
Carrie Thorp	"	"
Mabel Holsinger	Nachusa	"

Circuit Court.

The case of Burke vs. Dolan, suit on account, was decided in favor of plaintiff, but amount has not been adjusted.

Barnes vs. Nichols, suit for ejectment from land on account of unpaid rent, now on trial.

Marriage Licenses.

Elmer A. Purdy and Laron N. Cook.
George Patterson " Mary R. Barton.
W. Henry Atkinson " Rebecca Lee.

Memorial Services.

Dixon Post No. 299 Department Illinois G. A. R. have accepted an invitation to attend Memorial services at St. Paul's Lutheran church, Dixon, Sunday evening May 24, 7:30 o'clock. The services will be prepared by the pastor to appropriately precede the National Memorial Day services Saturday, May 30. Comrades will assemble at G. A. R. Hall, at 7 o'clock p. m. sharp. All soldiers are cordially invited, whether a member of the G. A. R. or not. By request of commander.

JUDICIAL ELECTION.

The following is the proper form for the ticket to be voted on June 2d in the election of Judges of the Circuit Court:
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May 21st a good deed will be done by purchasing men's suits at \$4.00 and \$5.00 at J. H. & C. A. TODD.

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May 21st! May 21st! furnishing goods at C. A. TODD'S.

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CONDENSED NEWS.

A dispatch from Mackinaw City reports the death of the first white settler at that place, George W. Stimpson.

The defalcation of W. A. Spaulding, formerly bookkeeper of the Racine Wagon company, is a trifle over \$3,000.

An assignment has been made by A. J. Yardi, a lumberman, of Winneconne, Wis., whose liabilities are \$22,000.

The first coal mine at Straitsville, Ohio, since the long strike, has a force of forty men at work at 40 cents per ton.

The mohair mills of Mitchell Brothers, at Bradford, England, valued at nearly \$1,000,000 have been destroyed by fire.

It is reported in London that Sir William Vernon Harcourt will soon succeed the earl of Selbourne as lord high chancellor.

Small-pox is said to be spreading rapidly in Montreal, and the mayor and leading physicians are battling it with vigor.

Fourteen British men-of-war of the first class have been ordered to Bantry bay, Ireland, for extended torpedo practice and a grand sham battle.

The creditors of J. R. Osgood & Co., Boston publishers, find the firm's liabilities to be \$170,000, all of which was contracted in the honest prosecution of business.

Minister Phelps has been presented to Queen Victoria by ex-Minister Lowell, Charles T. Russell, the new American consul at Liverpool, has arrived in that city.

The shoe firm of Winch Bros., of Boston, caused the arrest of a salesman and two retail dealers on charge of stealing goods to the amount of \$60,000 within the past three years.

In dealing with currency sent by national banks to the redemption agency, Treasurer Jordan proposes to restore to circulation such as is simply worn, thus relieving the pressure upon the bureau of engraving and printing.

The Colgate and Hewitt committee of West Shore bondholders have agreed upon a plan for reorganizing the road, and acquiring the whole property from Weehawken to Buffalo. It is proposed to reduce the first mortgage to \$20,000,000.

The naval authorities at Halifax have thoroughly investigated the joke of Paul Boyton in placing a bogus torpedo under the bow of the war steamer Garnet, in the harbor at New York. Lieut. Gardiner is under arrest, and the sentry who was on duty that night is indulging an imprisonment of forty-five days. No other persons are held responsible.

Policemen Attacked by Strikers.

DETROIT, May 20.—The police and striking brickmakers had an encounter in Springwells Tuesday morning. The mob attacked the officers with clubs, but the police drew revolvers and put them to rout without firing a shot. Several prisoners were taken and lodged in jail. The bosses met at noon and decided to make no concession. The men complain of long hours and small pay. The strike at the carshops has been abandoned, but all brick yards are still idle and a large force of special police is on hand to preserve order.

Brewers in Council.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The twenty-fifth convention of the United States Brewers' association commenced at Terrace garden Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. The opening exercises begun with the reception of guests by the committee, after which an address of welcome was delivered by Mayor Grace. This was followed with appropriate recitations, songs and music.

Methodist Bishops in Consultation.

ST. LOUIS, May 20.—The board of Methodist Episcopal bishops convened Tuesday morning, in the last day's session. According to Bishop Harris, secretary, full proceedings of the board's meeting will not be published until next week, when they will be printed in all the official organs of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Why Minister Phelps Was There.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 20.—It is learned at the state department that the presence of Minister Phelps at the conclusion of the trial of the Irish-Americans, Cunningham and Burton, in London, was in pursuance of special instructions received by him prior to his departure for England, looking to the legal rights of the prisoners.

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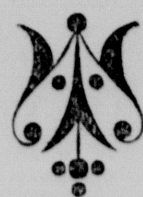
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